# 836 Contract Award

Functional Group ID= RQ

#### **Introduction:**

This standard provides the format and establishes the data contents of the Contract Award Transaction Set within the context of an Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) environment. The Contract Award Transaction Set can be used by the buyer to notify the seller or other interested parties of the award of a contract which contains some indefinite features, such as delivery schedule, location, and/or quantities. This transaction set is intended to be the notification of the award of a requirements type of contract.

### **Notes:**

This implementation convention is SACONS application specific. "SACONS" includes the Army SAACONS version 2.5, SACONS Federal (Navy and Civilian Agencies), and Department of Interior IDEAS applications.

We have referenced SACONS specific information through out this documentation. For SACONS specific segment related notes, refer to the ''Notes'' field for each segment. SACONS specific data element notes are printed in italics, following the data element description.

Data Element Summary Legend - one of the following codes will appear to the left of each data element:

 $X = data \ element \ not \ used$ 

>> = data element is mandatory

"blank" = data element is either optional or conditional

### **Heading:**

Must Use	<b>Pos. No.</b> 010	Seg. <u>ID</u> ST	<u>Name</u> Transaction Set Header	Req. <u>Des.</u> M	Max.Use	Loop <u>Repeat</u>	Notes and Comments
Must Use	020	BCO	Beginning Segment For Contract Award	M	1		
			LOOP ID - N1			>1	
	021	N1	Name	O	1		
Not Used	022	N2	Additional Name Information	O	2		
	023	N3	Address Information	O	2		
	024	N4	Geographic Location	O	1		
	025	REF	Reference Numbers	O	>1		
Not Used	026	PER	Administrative Communications Contact	О	>1		
			LOOP ID - PO1			>1	
Must Use	030	PO1	Purchase Order Baseline Item Data	M	1		
Not Used	040	PO3	Additional Item Detail	O	>1		
Not Used	050	CTP	Pricing Information	O	>1		

0030105836\_0 18 May 1995

Not Used	060	PID	Product/Item Description	O	>1		
Not Used	070	MEA	Measurements	O	>1		
Not Used	080	PWK	Paperwork	O	>1		
Not Used	090	REF	Reference Numbers	O	>1		
Not Used	100	PER	Administrative Communications Contact	O	>1		
			LOOP ID - SLN			>1	
Not Used	110	SLN	Subline Item Detail	O	1		
Not Used	120	PID	Product/Item Description	O	>1		
			LOOP ID - N1		;	>1	
Not Used	130	N1	LOOP ID - N1 Name	O	1	>1	
Not Used Not Used	130 140	N1 N2		0 0	1 2	>1	
			Name	-	1 2 2	>1	
Not Used	140	N2	Name Additional Name Information	0	_	>1	
Not Used Not Used	140 150	N2 N3	Name Additional Name Information Address Information	0	_	>1	
Not Used Not Used Not Used	140 150 160	N2 N3 N4	Name Additional Name Information Address Information Geographic Location	0 0 0	2	>1	

Segment: ST Transaction Set Header

**Position:** 010

Loop:

Level: Heading Usage: Mandatory

Max Use: 1

Purpose: To indicate the start of a transaction set and to assign a control number

Syntax Notes: Semantic Notes:

**Comments:** 1 The transaction set identifier (ST01) is intended for use by the translation

routines of the interchange partners to select the appropriate transaction set

definition (e.g., 810 selects the invoice transaction set).

Must Use	Ref. <u>Des.</u> ST01	Data Element 143		Set Identifier Code	Att M	ributes ID 3/3
			Code uniquely	identifying a Transaction Set		
			836	X12.54 Contract Award		
Must Use	ST02	329	<b>Transaction</b>	Set Control Number	$\mathbf{M}$	AN 4/9
			Identifying con	ntrol number assigned by the originator for a	trans	action set.

Segment: BCO Beginning Segment For Contract Award

**Position:** 020

Loop:

Level: Heading Usage: Mandatory

Max Use: 1

Purpose: To indicate the beginning of the Contract Award Transaction Set and to transmit

identifying numbers and dates.

**Syntax Notes:** 

**Semantic Notes:** 

**Comments:** 1 BCO04 is the contract number.

BCO06 is the contract beginning date.BCO07 is the contract expiration date.

# **Data Element Summary**

Must Use	Ref. Des. BCO01	Data Element 353	Name Transaction Set Purpose Code Code identifying purpose of transaction set Use only those codes indicated.		ributes ID 2/2		
			00 Original  USED AS SPECIFIED				
Must Use	BCO02	586	Request for Quote Reference Number  Number assigned by the purchaser to identify his reque	M st for que	AN 1/45		
			RFQ NUMBER OR IF RFQ NUMBER IS BLANK WILL BE USED.	THEN P	PR NUMBER		
Must Use	BCO03	652	Request Quotation Control Date	M	DT 6/6		
			Date to be used for reference purposes in an RFQ and a PROPOSAL/BID DUE DATE  If there was no RFQ and a notice of award is still to insert six numbers in this data element.	-			
Must Use	BCO04	127	Reference Number	M	AN 1/30		
			Reference number or identification number as defined for a particular Transaction Set, or as specified by the Reference Number Qualifier.				
			AWARD/PURCHASE ORDER NUMBER PLUS A BLANK SPACE FOLLOWED BY THE DELIVERY ORDER/BPA CALL NUMBER IF APPLICABLE				
	BCO05	846	Contract Status Code	0	ID 2/2		
			Code designating the current status of the contract				

0030105836\_0 4 18 May 1995

Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable code values.

	BCO06	373	Date	0	DT 6/6
			Date (YYMMDD)		
			ISSUE DATE OF AWARD		
			Date of award of the contract, order, or schedule.		
Not Used	BCO07	373	Date	0	DT 6/6
			Date (YYMMDD)		
Not Used	BCO08	587	Acknowledgment Type	0	ID 2/2
			Code specifying the type of acknowledgment		
			Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable of	ode v	alues.

Segment: N1 Name

**Position:** 021

**Loop:** N1 Optional

Level: Heading Usage: Optional

Max Use: 1

**Purpose:** To identify a party by type of organization, name, and code

**Syntax Notes:** 1 At least one of N102 or N103 is required.

2 If either N103 or N104 is present, then the other is required.

**Semantic Notes:** 

**Comments:** 1 This segment, used alone, provides the most efficient method of providing

organizational identification. To obtain this efficiency the "ID Code" (N104) must provide a key to the table maintained by the transaction processing party.

Notes: Addresses will typically be defined using N101, N103, and N104. N2-N4 should

be used when the selling party address cannot be described using a zip code.

	Ref.	Data		·		
	Des.	<b>Element</b>	<u>Name</u>		Att	<u>ributes</u>
Must Use	N101	98	<b>Entity Identifier</b>	Code	M	ID 2/2
			Code identifying a	n organizational entity or a physical loca	tion.	
			SE	Selling Party		
				USED AS SPECIFIED		
	N102	93	Name		C	AN 1/35
			Free-form name			
			VENDOR NAME			
	N103	66	<b>Identification Co</b>	de Qualifier	C	ID 1/2
			Code designating Identification Cod	the system/method of code structure used e (67)	for	
			16	ZIP Code		
				USED AS SPECIFIED		
	N104	67	<b>Identification Co</b>	de	C	ID 2/17
			Code identifying a	party.		

Segment: N3 Address Information

**Position:** 023

Loop: N1 Optional

Level: Heading Usage: Optional

Max Use: 2

**Purpose:** To specify the location of the named party

Syntax Notes: Semantic Notes: Comments:

	Ref.	Data		
	Des.	<b>Element</b>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Attributes</u>
Must Use	N301	166	<b>Address Information</b>	M AN 1/35
			Address information	
			ADDRESS LINE	
	N302	166	<b>Address Information</b>	O AN 1/35
			Address information	
			ADDRESS LINE	

Segment: N4 Geographic Location

**Position:** 024

Loop: N1 Optional

Level: Heading Usage: Optional

Max Use: 1

Purpose: To specify the geographic place of the named party

Syntax Notes: 1 At least one of N401 or N405 is required.

2 If N401 is present, then N402 is required.

3 If either N405 or N406 is present, then the other is required.

**Semantic Notes:** 

**Comments:** 1 A combination of either N401 through N404, or N405 and N406 may be

adequate to specify a location.

2 N402 is required only if city name (N401) is in the USA or Canada.

	Ref.	Data			
	Des.	<b>Element</b>	<u>Name</u>	Att	<u>tributes</u>
	N401	19	City Name	C	AN 2/19
			Free-form text for city name		
			CITY		
	N402	156	State or Province Code	C	ID 2/2
			Code (Standard State/Province) as defined by appropriate agency	govei	rnment
			STATE		
	N403	116	Postal Code	O	ID 4/9
			Code defining international postal zone code excluding publanks (zip code for United States)	nctua	tion and
			ZIP		
			Use only when the address of the selling party.		
Not Used	N404	26	Country Code	o	ID 2/2
			Code identifying the country		
Not Used	N405	309	Location Qualifier	C	ID 1/2
			Code identifying type of location		
			Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable c	ode v	alues.
Not Used	N406	310	Location Identifier	C	AN 1/25
			Code which identifies a specific location		

Segment: **REF** Reference Numbers

**Position:** 025

Loop: N1 Optional

Level: Heading
Usage: Optional
Max Use: >1

**Purpose:** To specify identifying numbers.

**Syntax Notes:** 1 At least one of REF02 or REF03 is required.

**Semantic Notes:** 

**Comments:** 

Notes: One iteration of REF01/02 is required in order to carry the Unique Tracking

Number (UTN) for the transaction set.

## **Data Element Summary**

	Ref.	Data				
	Des.	<b>Element</b>	<u>Name</u>		Att	<u>tributes</u>
Must Use	REF01	128	Reference Nu	mber Qualifier	$\mathbf{M}$	ID 2/2
			Code qualifyin	g the Reference Number.		
			Use code 65 fd	or the Unique Transaction Number.		
			65	Total Order Cycle Number		
	REF02	127	Reference Nu	mber	C	AN 1/30
			ber or identification number as defined for et, or as specified by the Reference Number	•		
			AWARD/PUR	CHASE ORDER NUMBER		
Not Used	REF03	352	Description		C	AN 1/80

A free-form description to clarify the related data elements and their content

PO1 Purchase Order Baseline Item Data **Segment:** 

**Position:** 030

> PO<sub>1</sub> Loop: Mandatory

Level: Heading Usage: Mandatory

Max Use:

**Purpose:** To specify basic and most frequently used purchase order line item data

**Syntax Notes:** If PO105 is present, then PO104 is required.

- 2 If PO106 is present, then PO107 is required.
- 3 If PO108 is present, then PO109 is required.
- 4 If PO110 is present, then PO111 is required.
- If PO112 is present, then PO113 is required.
- If PO114 is present, then PO115 is required.
- If PO116 is present, then PO117 is required.
- 8 If PO118 is present, then PO119 is required. If PO120 is present, then PO121 is required.
- 10 If PO122 is present, then PO123 is required.
- 11 If PO124 is present, then PO125 is required.

### **Semantic Notes:**

**Comments:** 

- 1 See the Data Dictionary for a complete list of ID's.
- 2 PO101 is the line item identification.
- PO106 through PO125 provide for ten (10) different product/service ID's per each item. For example: Case, Color, Drawing No., UPC No., ISBN No., Model No., SKU.

**Notes:** 

The PO1 segment is used to indicate the award data for each line awarded from a single request for quote, to a single vendor.

### **Data Element Summary**

	Ref.	Data	·					
	Des.	<b>Element</b>	<u>Name</u>	Att	<u>ributes</u>			
Must Use	PO101	350	<b>Assigned Identification</b>		AN 1/6			
			Alphanumeric characters assigned for differentiation within set	a tra	insaction			
			LINE ITEM NUMBER					
			The line item of the item being reported on in this notice taken from the original RFQ.	of a	ward,			
Must Use	Must Use PO102		Quantity Ordered  Quantity ordered	M	R 1/9			
			QUANTITY					
Must Use	PO103	355	<b>Unit or Basis for Measurement Code</b>	M	ID 2/2			
			Code identifying the basic unit of measurement.					
			UNIT OF MEASURE					

1. Conversation to and from the unit of issue codes in DoD 5000.12-M

			will be required.		
			2. Any code can be used.		
			Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable	code v	alues.
Must Use	PO104	212	Unit Price	C	R 1/14
			Price per unit of product, service, commodity, etc.		,
			UNIT PRICE		
Not Used	PO105	639	Basis of Unit Price Code	0	ID 2/2
			Code identifying the type of unit price for an item		
			Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable of	code v	alues.
Not Used	PO106	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	o	ID 2/2
			Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive numbe Product/Service ID (234)	r used	in
			Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable	code v	alues.
Not Used	PO107	234	Product/Service ID	$\mathbf{C}$	AN 1/30
			Identifying number for a product or service		
Not Used	PO108	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	O	ID 2/2
			Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive numbe Product/Service ID (234)	r used	in
			Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable of	code v	alues.
Not Used	PO109	234	Product/Service ID	C	AN 1/30
			Identifying number for a product or service		
Not Used	PO110	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	O	ID 2/2
			Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive numbe Product/Service ID (234)	r used	in
			Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable of	code v	alues.
Not Used	PO111	234	Product/Service ID	C	AN 1/30
			Identifying number for a product or service		
Not Used	PO112	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	O	ID 2/2
			Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive numbe Product/Service ID (234)	r used	in
			Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable of	code v	alues.
Not Used	PO113	234	Product/Service ID	$\mathbf{C}$	AN 1/30
			Identifying number for a product or service		
Not Used	PO114	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	O	ID 2/2
			Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive numbe Product/Service ID (234)	r used	in
			Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable of	code v	alues.
Not Used	PO115	234	Product/Service ID	$\mathbf{C}$	AN 1/30
			Identifying number for a product or service		
Not Used	PO116	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	O	ID 2/2

			Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number Product/Service ID (234)	used	in
			Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable c	ode v	alues.
Not Used	PO117	234	Product/Service ID	C	AN 1/30
			Identifying number for a product or service		
Not Used	PO118	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	O	ID 2/2
			Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number Product/Service ID (234)	used	in
			Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable c	ode v	alues.
Not Used	PO119	234	Product/Service ID	C	AN 1/30
			Identifying number for a product or service		
Not Used	PO120	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	0	ID 2/2
			Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number Product/Service ID (234)	used	in
			Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable c	ode v	alues.
Not Used	PO121	234	Product/Service ID	C	AN 1/30
			Identifying number for a product or service		
Not Used	PO122	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	0	ID 2/2
			Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number Product/Service ID (234)	used	in
			Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable c	ode v	alues.
Not Used	PO123	234	Product/Service ID	C	AN 1/30
			Identifying number for a product or service		
Not Used	PO124	235	Product/Service ID Qualifier	0	ID 2/2
			Code identifying the type/source of the descriptive number Product/Service ID (234)	used	in
			Refer to 003010 Data Element Dictionary for acceptable c	ode v	alues.
Not Used	PO125	234	Product/Service ID	C	AN 1/30
			Identifying number for a product or service		

Segment: **SE** Transaction Set Trailer

**Position:** 190

Loop:

Level: Heading Usage: Mandatory

Max Use: 1

Purpose: To indicate the end of the transaction set and provide the count of the transmitted

segments (including the beginning (ST) and ending (SE) segments).

**Syntax Notes:** 

**Semantic Notes:** 

**Comments:** 1 SE is the last segment of each transaction set.

Duta Biement Summary						
	Ref.	Data				
	Des.	<b>Element</b>	<u>Name</u>	Att	<b>Attributes</b>	
<b>Must Use</b>	SE01	96	Number of Included Segments	M	N0 1/6	
			Total number of segments included in a transaction set incl SE segments	uding	g ST and	
Must Use	SE02	329	<b>Transaction Set Control Number</b>	$\mathbf{M}$	AN 4/9	
			Identifying control number assigned by the originator for a	per assigned by the originator for a transaction set.		
			This is the same number as the one in ST02.			